

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of	) Mail Stop Amendment
Michael Oliver Thorner et al.	) Group Art Unit: 1646
Application No.: 10/009,643	) Examiner: CLAIRE M KAUFMAN
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For: CHICKEN GROWTH HORMONE RELEASING HORMONE RECEPTOR	) ) )

## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 12, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: